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PATENT 0579-1090

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Dominique CONTE et al.

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Application No. 10/535,146

Group 4172

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Examiner Erin Evans

METHOD FOR OBTAINING A MARK ON A LOW SURFACE ENERGY OPHTHALMIC LENS

SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 29, 2008

Sir:

In addition to the election in the response filed September 22, 2008, Applicants further elect the compound of MgF_2 of species 2 for Category A as the species for examination on the merits. It is submitted that at least claims 1-24 are readable thereon. Applicants are making this election with traverse for the reasons set forth in the September 22, 2008 response.

Favorable action on the merits is solicited.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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